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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	20	32	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	5	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
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		Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
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		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 25, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration for the reasons set forth below.